Mr. K. Ayyappan.—Have the Government placed the matter before His Highness?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—The word Government includes both the Diwan and His Highness.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—Has anybody responsible placed the matter before His Highness?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—It is not possible to answer that.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.— May I know why it is not possible to answer that question?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—The correspondence between the Diwan and His Highness is not generally divulged.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—It is a promise made openly in the Council that the matter will be placed before His Highness. Has the promise been kept?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—The promise has not been violated. Government are considering the matter.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—Has the matter been placed before His Highness? If it has not been placed, Government can say so.

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I answered that the correspondence between the Diwan and His Highness cannot be divulged.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—Is it under correspondence?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—It is.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—Has the matter been placed before His Highness?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I cannot give any more information on this point.

Obscene songs.

494. മിസ്റ്റർ. എ. കെ. കുഞ്ഞുമൊയ്തീൻ.—(a) തെറിപ്പാട്ടുകൾ നിരോധിക്കുന്നതിനു വേണ്ടി ഗവർമ്മെണ്ടിനു എത്ര നിവേദനങ്ങളും അപേക്ഷകളും കിട്ടീട്ടുണ്ട്;

(b) ഈ വിഷയകമായി കൊടുങ്ങല്ലൂർനിന്നു എത്രയെല്ലാം വിധത്തിൽ നിവേദനങ്ങൾ കിട്ടീട്ടുണ്ടു;

(c) തിരുവിതാംകൂറിൽ തെറിപ്പാട്ടും കോഴിവെട്ടും നിരോധിച്ചിട്ടു അവിടെ വല്ല ക്ഷോഭമോ ദോഷഫലങ്ങളോ ഉണ്ടായിട്ടുണ്ടോ;

(d) തെറിപ്പാട്ടു നിരോധിക്കുവാൻ കൌൺസിലിൽ വലിയ ഭൂരിപക്ഷത്തോടെ പാസ്സാക്കിയ പ്രമേയത്തിന്മേൽ ഉത്തരവിടാതിരിക്കുന്നതിനു കാരണമെന്തു?

രാമവർമ്മ തമ്പുരാൻ.—(a) and (b) പലേ നിവേദനങ്ങളും അക്ഷേപങ്ങളും കിട്ടീട്ടുണ്ടു.

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(c) ഗവൺമെണ്ടിനു അറിവില്ല.

(d) ഗവൺമെണ്ടു ഈ പ്രമേയം അംഗീകരിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടു.

Class-war statement of appointments.

495. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table in print a consolidated statement of the total number of appointments made by each of the heads of departments with their names and designations in each of the years 1104 and 1105 with a class-war statement of the appointees ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—A statement containing the available information is placed on the Council Table.

Circular—Graduates & Under-graduates.

496. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table 1. copies of orders passed by the Government during the last 15 years requiring that graduates should be appointed to specified posts or to those carrying special grades of pay in each department; the information may be furnished with special reference to orders relating to (a) the upper division clerks in the Huzur Secretariat, (b) the Chief Ministerial Officers in departmental head offices,(c) head clerks and other subordinates below the rank of the Chief Ministerial Officers, (d) teachers in the Education Department, (e) Superintendents and Auditors in the Comptroller's Office, (f) the executive staff of the Police, Excise and Land Revenue Departments;

2. a statement showing the names of graduates appointed or promoted in each department during the last 15 years in in virtue of their special educational qualifications with information as to the pay of the posts to which they are preferred;

3. has the Government issued any circular which has the effect of cancelling any of the orders referred to in sub-division 1 above;

4. if the answer to the above question is in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to place a copy of the said circular on the table;

5. have the Government fixed a maximum up to which the under-graduates can rise and if so, what is that maximum?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—1. Vide the old and new editions of S. Os. regarding the qualifications for the posts mentioned.

2. A statement showing the information available is placed on the Council Table.

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